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NOTING THAT "US SIDE APPEARS TO BE THE MOST EXCITED"
(OF THE INTERESTED PARTIES), RADIO MADAGASCAR (RTM)
DESCRIBED THE TRAGIC INCIDENT AS A US PROVOCATION,
SINCE THE US MILITARY HAD CONTINUED TO TRIM TREES
EVEN THOUGH PROHIBITED BY THE NORTH KOREANS. ACCORDING
TO RTM, THE NORTH KOREAN REACTION, THEREFORE, WAS IN
SELF-DEFENSE, SINCE IT WAS AN "INCURSION" INTO NORTH
KOREAN TERRITORY. THERE WAS A SARCASTIC COMMENT AS TO
HOW EASILY WASHINGTON HAD MISINFORMED OTHER WESTERN
CAPITALS WHO THEN EXPRESSED SHOCK AT THE INCIDENT AND
EASILY ACCUSED NORTH KOREA AS THE SOURCE OF THE CONFLICT.
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